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In re

Patent Application of

David Edwin Thurston, et al.

Application No. 09/763,767

Confirmation No.: 6332

Filed: February 26, 2001

Examiner: Brenda Coleman

"PYRROLOBENZODIAZEPINES"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Applicant claims small entity status. The fee has been calculated as shown below. A check in the amount of \$138.00 is attached.

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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | | |
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| | (1) | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) | (4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEE |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | | 54 | MINUS | 48 | 6 | X \$9 | 54.00 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | | 7 | MINUS | 5 | 2 | X \$42 | 84.00 |
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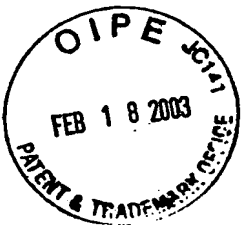
In the event Applicant has overlooked the need to request an extension of time, please consider this a request for same.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed November 15, 2002, please amend the application as follows. This response is timely filed because February 15, 2003 was a Saturday and February 17, 2003 was a Federal holiday.

In the specification:

Please replace the paragraph at page 1, line 1 with the following:

-- PYRROLOBENZODIAZEPINES --

Please add the following new paragraph before the paragraph beginning at page 13, line 28:

C1 -- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE SEVERAL VIEWS OF THE DRAWINGS --

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 30, 41 and 45.

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